

~~(8)~~ (9) TWO INDIVIDUALS WITH EXPERIENCE IN LOCAL GOVERNMENT, ONE APPOINTED BY THE MARYLAND ASSOCIATION OF COUNTIES AND ONE APPOINTED BY THE MARYLAND MUNICIPAL LEAGUE; AND

~~(9)~~ (10) FOUR REPRESENTATIVES FROM THE GENERAL PUBLIC, TWO APPOINTED BY THE GOVERNOR, ONE APPOINTED BY THE PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE OF MARYLAND, AND ONE APPOINTED BY THE SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF DELEGATES.

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(A) THE COMMISSION SHALL:

(1) ELECT A CHAIRMAN FROM AMONG THE MEMBERS OF THE COMMISSION; AND

(2) DETERMINE THE TIMES AND PLACES OF THE MEETINGS OF THE COMMISSION.

(B) A QUORUM OF THE COMMISSION IS 13 MEMBERS.

(C) (1) UNLESS EXTENDED BY LAW, THE TERMS OF MEMBERS END ON JUNE 30, 2000.

(2) IF A VACANCY OCCURS DURING THE TERM OF A MEMBER, THE APPOINTING AUTHORITY SHALL APPOINT ANOTHER INDIVIDUAL TO SERVE THE REMAINDER OF THE TERM.

(D) A MEMBER OF THE COMMISSION:

(1) MAY NOT RECEIVE COMPENSATION FOR DUTIES PERFORMED AS A MEMBER OF THE COMMISSION; BUT

(2) IS ENTITLED TO REIMBURSEMENT FOR EXPENSES UNDER THE STANDARD STATE TRAVEL REGULATIONS, AS PROVIDED IN THE STATE BUDGET.

(E) (1) AFTER CONSULTATION WITH THE GOVERNOR, THE PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE OF MARYLAND, AND THE SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF DELEGATES, THE COMMISSION SHALL APPOINT AN EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR WHO SHALL SERVE AT THE PLEASURE OF THE COMMISSION.

(2) THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR SHALL:

(I) BE THOROUGHLY EXPERIENCED IN THE FISCAL AND OPERATIONAL POLICIES AND PRACTICES OF THE STATE GOVERNMENT AND PREFERABLY HAVE EXPERIENCE IN THE PRIVATE SECTOR;

(II) MAKE RECOMMENDATIONS TO THE COMMISSION CONCERNING:

1. THE HIRING OF PERMANENT AND PART-TIME STAFF, WHO SHALL BE UNCLASSIFIED STATE EMPLOYEES AND SERVE AT THE PLEASURE OF THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR; AND